Handloom Exports Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1992-93, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library *See* LT 5458/94]

II. (a) Sixteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the North Eastern Handicrafts and Handlooms Development Corporation Limited, Shillong, for the year 1992-93, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above 'Corporation. [Placed in Library *See* LT 5457/94]

I. Report and Accounts (1992-93) of the Indian Investment Centre, New Delhi and related papers.

II. Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue).

III. Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Depatment of Economic Affairs).

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): Madam, I lay on the Table:—

I. A copy each (in Engilsh and Hindi) of the following papers under subsection (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Indian Investment Centre, New Delhi, for the year 1992-93, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Statement by Government accepting the above Report. [Placed in Library *See* No. LT 5475/94]

II. (i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:—

(1) GSR No. 599(E), dated the 10th September, 199 3 regarding concessional rate of basic customs duty of 10% *ad valorem* on drug HU Erythropoietin (Hemax).

(2) GSR No. 600(E), dated the 10th September, 1993, regarding increase in basic customs duty on L-Base for the manufacture of chloromphenical powder or chloromphenical palmitate.

(3) GSR No. 601(E), dated the 10th September, 1993 extending concessional rate of basic customs duty of 50% *ad valorem* on 8-DM for the manufacture Dexamethasone.

(4) GSR No. 602(E), dated the 10th September, 199 3 extending the benefit of full duty exemption to such raw materials imported for renovation of modernisation of Fertilizer plants.

(5) GSR No. 603(E), dated the 10th September, 1993 regarding the National Stock

Exchange Project as a project for the purpose of assessment.

(6) GSR No. 604(E), dated the 10th September, 1993, extending a concessional rate of import duty of 25% *at valorem* to goods falling under Heading 98.01 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975, when imported for the National Stock Exchange Project.

(7) GSR No. 699(E), dated the 22nd October, 1993, amending notification No. 276/92-Customs dated the 23rd September, 1992, clarifying the scope and its applicability to consumable stores like catalysts imported for renovation and modernisation of fertilizer plants.

(8) GSR No. 718(E), dated the 25th November, 1993 regarding the nil date of duty to parts of gear box for manufacture of wind operated electricity generators.

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(9) GSR No. 732(E), dated the 6th December, 1993, amending notification No. 219/89-Cus. dated the 1st August, 1989, so as to delete the condition regarding the declaration to be made by the importer at the time of import.

(10) GSR No. 733(E), dated the 6th December, 1993, regarding amendment in notification No. 110/86-Cus. dated the 17th February, 1986, to include two more projects therein for purposes of assessment under heading No. 98.0 of the Customs Tariff Act. 1975.

(11) S.O. No. 1044(E). dated the 28th December. 1993 regarding the rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or *vice-versa* for the purpose of import.

(12) S.O. No. 1044(E), dated the 28th December, 1993, regarding the rate of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of export.

(13) S.O. No. 46(E), dated the 21st January, 1994, regarding rate of exchange for conversion of Malaysian Dollar into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of export.

(14) S.O. No. 47(E), dated the 21st January, 1994 regarding the rate of exchange for conversion of Malaysian Dollar into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of export.

(15) S.O. No. 62(E), dated the 28th January, 1994 regarding the rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of import.

(16) S.O. No. 63(E), dated the 28th January, 1994 regarding the rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of export.

(17) G.S.R. No. 784(E), dated the 27th December, 1993, prescribing a separate scheme of exemption for hundred percent export oriented units in the acquaculture sector.

(18) GSR No. 785(E), dated the 27th December, 1993 relating to schemes of exemption for Export Processing Zones/ 100% Export Oriented Units/ Electronics Hardware

Technology Parks units so as to align the duty structure on waste and scrap materials arising in the course of manufacturing activities in such units.

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(ii) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) Notification G.S.R. No. 41(E), dated the 28th January, 1994, seeking to withdraw the exemption from levy of Inland Air Travel Tax granted to employees of Air India, Indian Airlines, Vayudoot and Pawan Hans, whether serving or retired, when they travel on a free or rebated ticket, under section 49 of the Finance Act, 1989 together with an Explanatory. Memorandum thereon.

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(iii) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under sub-section (2) of section 38 of the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:—

(1) GSR No. 594(E), dated the 7th September, 1993, exempting rock phosphate and sulphur from whole of the excise duty.

(2) GSR No. 626(E), dated the 27th September, 1993, prescribing uniform central excise duty of 10% on electrical motor, generators, generating sets and rotary converters.

(3) GSR No. 627(E), dated the 27th September, 1993, rescinding the notification of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No. 168/90-Central Excises dated the 18th December, 1990.

(4) GSR No. 690(E), dated the 5th November, 1993, regarding excise duty of Rs. 1.92 per hundred boxes in respect of matches produced with the aid of power and packed in boxes of 40s.

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(5) GSR No. 735(E), dated the 7th December, 1993, exempting fully from excise duty foundry grade pig iron with a phosphorus content of 0-2% and above which is produced by units which use coke as their main fuel.

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III. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs), under sub-section (3) of section 48 of the Life Insurance Corporation Act, 1956 together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:—

(1) GSR No. 745(E), dated the 13th December, 1993, publishing the Life Insurance Corporation of India (Staff) (Amendment) Rules, 1993.

(2) GSR No. 746(E), dated the 13th December, 1993, publishing the Life Insurance Corporation of India Class III and Class IV Employees (Revision of Terms and Conditions of Service) Amendment Rules, 1993.

(3) GSR No. 747(E), dated the 13th December, 1993, publishing the Life Insurance Corporation of India (Staff) Amendment Rules, 1993.

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